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TOPIC Soviet Fuel Dump near ROHRAU

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1. A Soviet fuel dump was located about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile northwest of the town exit of ROHRAU (P 49/X 78), off the fork formed by the ROHRAU-PETRONELL and ROHRAU-PRUELLENKIRCHEN (P 49/X 88) road.
2. The dump was housed in three single-story and two two-story buildings, and in about five sheds of a dismantled transformer plant and was connected by a track with the BRUCK on the Leitha River (P 99/X 77)-PETRONELL railroad line.
3. The dump covered an area of about 1,000 x 550 feet; it was surrounded by a barbed fence and illuminated at night.
4. Twenty-six white containers, similar to railroad tank cars resting on cement foundations, were counted. They each had an estimated capacity of 2,640 gallons. Fifteen railroad tank cars were observed on the track.
5. The service personnel of the dump, about 50 men, were partly quartered within the dump, partly in private houses in ROHRAU. The observed soldiers wore black bordered epaulets. Truck
6. According to local residents, the dump is a Soviet Air Force installation, which also supplies air force units in Hungary.

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Comment:

The existence of a Soviet Air Force fuel dump was reported in February 1949. The data concerning the capacity of the fuel dump cannot be verified for lack of comparable information. It is not known what kind of fuel is stored there and what units are supplied.

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